## National Provider Identifier (NPI)

For

Medical Residents/Podiatry Residents/Optometry Residents

If you will be rotating at Bay Pines VAHCS as a Medical Resident/Podiatry Resident or an Optometry Resident...you are required to have a National Provider Identifier (NPI) number prior to rotation.

If you do not already have an NPI number, please go to <a href="https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov">https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov</a> website today and complete the NPI Application Form.

The estimated time to complete the NPI application form is 20 minutes or less. Please have the following information handy before beginning your application:

## Information Required for Individual Providers:

**Provider Name** 

\*\* SSN (or ITIN if not eligible for SSN)

Provider Date of Birth

Country of Birth

State of Birth (if Country of Birth is U.S.)

Provider Gender

Mailing Address

Practice Location Address and Phone Number

Taxonomy (Provider Type)

\* State License Information

Contact Person Name

Contact Person Phone Number and E-mail

<sup>\*</sup>required for certain taxonomies only)

<sup>\*\* (</sup>SSN or ITIN information should only be reported in the SSN or ITIN field)

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Once you receive your NPI number, please email us with your full name, rotation dates, along with your NPI number to <a href="mailto:vhabayAcademicAffiliations@va.gov">vhabayAcademicAffiliations@va.gov</a>.